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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE,  
NEVADA REPUBLICAN PARTY, and  
SCOTT JOHNSTON,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

FRANCISCO AGUILAR, in his official  
capacity as Nevada Secretary of State;  
LORENA PORTILLO, in her official capacity  
as the Registrar of Voters for Clark County;  
WILLIAM "SCOTT" HOEN, AMY  
BURGANS, STACI LINDBERG, and JIM  
HINDLE, in their official capacities as  
County Clerks,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-00518-CDS-MDC

**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS  
COUNSEL**

1 Laena St-Jules hereby moves to withdraw as counsel for Defendant Francisco  
2 Aguilar, in his official capacity as Nevada Secretary of State ("Secretary") pursuant to  
3 LR IA 11-6. Laena St-Jules is leaving the Office of the Attorney General on July 3, 2025  
4 to pursue another opportunity and will be unable to continue her representation. The  
5 Secretary will continue to be represented by Deputy Solicitor General Jeffrey M. Conner,  
6 and withdrawal, if granted, will not delay discovery, trial, or any hearing in this action.

7 DATED this 2nd day of July 2025.

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10 By: /s/Laena St-Jules  
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19 *State*

20 **ORDER**  
21 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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23 Hon. Maximiliano D. Couvillier III  
24 United States Magistrate Judge  
25 Date: 7/7/2025  
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